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GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT

No.F.28(1)-TRANS/2004(L)(V-1)/307

Dated, Agartala, the 26th April, 2021.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 67 of the Motor Vehicle Act, 1988, the Governor of Tripura is pleased to direct the State Transport Authority to fix the rate of the fare for the **Contract carriage Auto Rickshaw services and Meter Auto Rickshaw services** within the State of Tripura at the rates and in the manner as elaborated below.

Contract Carriage Auto Rickshaw

2. Contract Carriage Auto Rickshaws shall be permitted only outside areas mentioned in para 5 below. The rate of Contract Carriage Auto Rickshaws is as follows :

Sl. No.	Category of vehicles	Rate per KM (Rs.)	Night rates per KM (Rs.) (8 PM to 6 AM)
1	Contract Auto	8.66	10.40

3. In order to encourage Auto service in odd hours even outside the areas mentioned in para 5, higher rates will be applicable for autos plying from 8 PM to 6 AM.

4. Contract Carriage Autos are allowed to ply only from point to point and shall not drop or pick up passengers enroute. The rate of Contract Auto for full capacity shall be displayed prominently in the Auto.

Meter Auto Rickshaw

5. All Autos plying in the AMC areas and within the following points shall ply only with meter as approved by the Transport Department.

- (i) Narsingarh on the North-West direction
- (ii) Gandhigram on the North direction

- (iii) Khayerpur and Banikya Chowmohani on the East direction
- (iv) Moloynagar junction Agartala Bypass on the South-East direction
- (v) Surjyamaninagar on the South direction
- (vi) Akhaura Checkpost on the West direction

Autos plying in the AMC and the above mentioned areas shall not refuse passengers in any direction within the above limits.

6. In order to encourage meter auto services at odd hours in Agartala city, additional rates are allowed for night hours from 9 PM to 5 AM.

7. In order to make Autos available at all places within the AMC area and to spread their reach, Autos are encouraged to move into the interior roads of AMC. As such, considering idle mileage, the following rates are stipulated for Meter Autos.

Sl. No.	Category	Distance/Time	Rate in Rs.	Night Rate (9 PM to 5 AM)
1.	Initial distance	Up to 2 km	20	25% additional over the meter reading
2.	Subsequent distance	For every 100 m	1	
3.	Waiting charge	For every 5 min	5	


The above mentioned rates shall be displayed prominently on the body of the Auto rickshaw.

8. Every Auto plying in the areas mentioned at para 5 above shall get Meter installed by agency approved by the Transport department by 30th June, 2020. Till such time they get Meter installed or the validity of their permit, which is earlier, they will be governed by rates prescribed at Para 2 above.

9. In order to avoid small change problem between the passengers and drivers, fares will be rounded off to the next multiple of Rs.5/-. However, for all e-transactions, it should be rounded to the next multiple of Rs.1/-. For this purposes, all autos shall make arrangements for enabling e-transactions. For those autos, that do not install such facility or do not have such functioning system post installation, till such time, it is installed / functional as the case may be, rounding off will be to the lower multiple of Rs 5/-.

10. The rates fixed above may be treated as maximum rate and would be applicable from the date of issue of this notification. This is issued in supersession of the earlier notification dated 9th July, 2018.

By order of Governor


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